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REQUEST FOR STATUS

Please advise of the status of the above-identified patent application. An Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2005 was filed on September 2, 2005. The last item received was a Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document dated September 7, 2005. Applicants are currently awaiting an Office Action from Examiner Jones.

If there are any matters that can be resolved through a telephone conference, please contact the undersigned attorney for Applicants at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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